

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2001**

Juvenile Court **ANDERSON**  
Court Number **1**

January - December 2001                      1,381 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      973 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
1	OR	0.07% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
1	OR	0.07% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
3	OR	0.21% Other Sexual Offenses
11	OR	0.76% Aggravated Assault
1	OR	0.07% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
2	OR	0.14% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
43	OR	2.97% Assault
6	OR	0.41% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
2	OR	0.14% Arson
3	OR	0.21% Aggravated Burglary
93	OR	6.42% Theft of Property
31	OR	2.14% Vandalism
2	OR	0.14% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
4	OR	0.28% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
29	OR	2.00% Burglary
8	OR	0.55% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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2	OR	0.14% Sale of Controlled Substances
12	OR	0.83% Other Drug Offenses
50	OR	3.45% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.07% Carrying Weapons on School Property
4	OR	0.28% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
3	OR	0.21% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
5	OR	0.35% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
35	OR	2.42% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
7	OR	0.48% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
2	OR	0.14% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
2	OR	0.14% Criminal Impersonation
15	OR	1.04% Disorderly Conduct
21	OR	1.45% Criminal Trespass
7	OR	0.48% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
276	OR	19.05% Traffic
1	OR	0.07% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
1	OR	0.07% Contempt of Court
48	OR	3.31% Violation of Probation
7	OR	0.48% Violation of Aftercare
16	OR	1.10% Unruly Behavior
20	OR	1.38% Truancy
38	OR	2.62% In-State Runaway
2	OR	0.14% Out-of-State Runaway
99	OR	6.83% Possession of Tobacco Products
64	OR	4.42% Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
5	OR	0.35% Dependency/Neglect
9	OR	0.62% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
24	OR	1.66% Custody
1	OR	0.07% Visitation
106	OR	7.32% Paternity/Legitimation
302	OR	20.84% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
24	OR	1.66% Other

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1,449	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 1,381 Cases, There Were

1,449 Referral Sources

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**Referral Source**

694	OR	47.9% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
21	OR	1.4% Were Referred By Parents
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Relatives
12	OR	0.8% Were Referred By Self
110	OR	7.6% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
105	OR	7.2% Were Referred By DCS
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
11	OR	0.8% Were Referred By Court Staff
440	OR	30.4% Were Referred By Social Agency
10	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Other Court
9	OR	0.6% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
35	OR	2.4% Other
1,449	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,381 Cases, There Were 1,449 Intake Actions  
**Intake Actions**

1,171	OR	80.8% Petition Filed
1	OR	0.1% Motion Filed
266	OR	18.4% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
11	OR	0.8% Other
1,449	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,381 Cases:

#### **Type Of Detention**

3	OR	0.2% Non-Secure Placement
68	OR	4.9% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
16	OR	1.2% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
1,294	OR	93.7% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,381	OR	100.0% Total

#### **Placement After Secure Detention Hearing**

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863	OR	62.5% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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4	OR	0.3% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
1	OR	0.1% Foster Family
16	OR	1.2% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
488	OR	35.3% Does Not Apply
9	OR	0.7% Other
1,381	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

973 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

49	OR	5.0% Birth Through Age 10
28	OR	2.9% Ages 11 Through 12
70	OR	7.2% Ages 13 Through 14
237	OR	24.4% Ages 15 Through 16
224	OR	23.0% Age 17 Through 18
30	OR	3.1% Age 19 And Over
335	OR	34.4% Unknown/Not Reported
973	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

688	OR	70.7% Male
285	OR	29.3% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
973	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

816	OR	83.9% White
138	OR	14.2% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
2	OR	0.2% Asian
14	OR	1.4% Mixed Race
3	OR	0.3% Unknown
973	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 973 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

0	OR	0.0% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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164	OR	16.9% Living With Both Biological Parents
12	OR	1.2% Living With Father And Stepmother
44	OR	4.5% Living With Mother And Stepfather

184	OR	18.9% Living With Mother
45	OR	4.6% Living With Father
35	OR	3.6% Living With Relatives
4	OR	0.4% Living With Adoptive Parents
3	OR	0.3% Living With Foster Family
5	OR	0.5% Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
16	OR	1.6% Living Independently
458	OR	47.1% Unknown
3	OR	0.3% Other
973	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

447	OR	45.9% Were Enrolled In School
24	OR	2.5% Were Not Enrolled In School
502	OR	51.6% Unknown
973	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
0	OR	0.0% Finished Kindergarten
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 1
1	OR	0.1% Finished Grade 2
12	OR	1.2% Finished Grade 3
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 4
10	OR	1.0% Finished Grade 5
26	OR	2.7% Finished Grade 6
43	OR	4.4% Finished Grade 7
74	OR	7.6% Finished Grade 8
86	OR	8.8% Finished Grade 9
107	OR	11.0% Finished Grade 10
87	OR	8.9% Finished Grade 11
36	OR	3.7% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
1	OR	0.1% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
490	OR	50.4% Unknown
973	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

27	OR	2.8% Were Enrolled In Special Education
946	OR	97.2% Not Enrolled In Special Education
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
973	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 3,593 Specific **Case Outcomes**

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Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

630	OR	17.53% Case Dismissed
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8	OR	0.22% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
1	OR	0.03% Warned/Counseled
11	OR	0.31% Held Open For Review
2	OR	0.06% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
7	OR	0.19% Probation To Parents
15	OR	0.42% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
94	OR	2.62% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
25	OR	0.70% Referred To Private Child Agency
5	OR	0.14% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
33	OR	0.92% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
16	OR	0.45% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
189	OR	5.26% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
226	OR	6.29% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
91	OR	2.53% Fine
0	OR	0.00% Public Service
0	OR	0.00% Restitution
18	OR	0.50% Runaway Returned
163	OR	4.54% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
22	OR	0.61% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
31	OR	0.86% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
68	OR	1.89% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment/Custody
244	OR	6.79% DCS Commitment - Suspended
10	OR	0.28% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
15	OR	0.42% DCS Probation
948	OR	26.38% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
91	OR	2.53% Parental Rights Terminated
4	OR	0.11% Parental Rights Not Terminated

5	OR	0.14% Order of Reference To DCS
0	OR	0.00% Court Costs
80	OR	2.23% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued
0	OR	0.00% Custody Changed
1	OR	0.03% Custody Unchanged

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177	OR	4.93% Visitation Changed
207	OR	5.76% Visitation Unchanged
58	OR	1.61% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
1	OR	0.03% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
66	OR	1.84% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
31	OR	0.86% Other
3,593	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the 1,449 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

1,448	OR	99.9% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
1	OR	0.1% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,449	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,381 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 1,449 Referral Reasons Was:

509	OR	35.1% Dismissed
175	OR	12.1% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
764	OR	52.7% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
1	OR	0.1% Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
0	OR	0.0% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
0	OR	0.0% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
1,449	OR	100.0% Total